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PERSONALS.

MRS. B. N. ROLLER went to New Haven Wednesday.
MR. AND MRS. JOE S. RICE spent Monday at Richmond.
MRS. HARRY GEER is visiting relatives at Lebanon Junction.
MRS. R. G. HALL, of Somerset, spent Xmas with her parents here.
MR. D. V. KENNEDY spent several days with his family at Nashville.
MISS SUE WILLIE HALE is visiting Miss Katherine Waddell at Somerset.
MR. W. B. WEAREN has gone on the road for the Westfield, Mass., Whip Co.

WILLIAM HAMILTON spent Christmas with his wife's parents at Lexington.

MRS. B. H. DANKS has gone to Elizabethtown to visit her sister, Mrs. J. M. Bruce.

BUD HOLDERMAN and Maek Wallace spent Christmas day with relatives at Lebanon.

MESSRS. G. B. COOPER and C. E. Tate killed 50 quail during their hunt in Casey.

MRS. DR. J. M. OWENS, of Somerset, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. L. B. Cook.

MR. EDWARD STOVER, of Nashville, spent several days with his pretty sweetheart here.

E. W. SMITH, of Columbia, Tenn., spent the holidays with his children at Col. T. P. Hill's.

THE wife of J. K. Carson, of Kingsville, gave him a 12-pound girl for a Christmas present.

MR. PEYTON PARROTT and wife, of Lexington, spent several days with Mrs. Peter Hampton.

JOHN F. SMILEY and his handsome young wife, of Louisville, spent several days with his mother.

MR. J. IRE WESTERFIELD, of Parkersville, spent several days with his brother, L. M. Westerfield.

W. A. EPPERSON and family, of Millidgeville, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Warren.

COUNTY CLERK J. M. DUNCAN, of Lancaster, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. R. C. Warren.

MRS. L. H. HUSSUNG and children, who spent the holidays with Mr. J. H. Root, returned to Somerset Wednesday.

MRS. WILLIAM SEVERANCE and his wife, Virginia Pickett, spent Christmas with their parents at Finchville, Shelby county.

MR. J. H. WHITE and wife have moved to the Baughman house on the Somerset pike and he will follow the business of surveying.

MRS. E. G. WALLER and children, including Miss Bessie VanArsdall, of Lebanon Junction, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wearen.

JONES BAUGHMAN and pretty sister, Miss Katherine, of Hustonville, spent a portion of the Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Baughman.

TOM LASLEY, who is living in Costa Rico, sent his mother, Mrs. Annie Lasley, and sister, Miss Susie Lasley, \$20 each for Christmas presents.

MRS. T. D. EWING, wife of the K. C. mail messenger, was called to Deval's Bluff, Ark., Monday, by the serious illness of her brother, Pat Bronaugh.

MR. WILLIAM GEER and wife, of Lebanon Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Geer have rented and moved into the Pennington house on East Main Street.

MRS. LUC MERSHON, of Richmond, spent the week with Mrs. John B. Mershon. Miss Nellie Mershon, who is attending school at that place, came with her and spent Christmas at home.

MISS ANNIE AND LUCILE MENEFFEE have a jolly home party as follows: Misses Lizzie May Crabb, of Eminence; Haidie Duff, Glasgow; Neppie Scruggs, Greenville, Miss.; and Messrs. B. S. Ritchie, Louisville, and L. C. Crabb, Eminence.

MR. AND MRS. E. P. OWSLEY and Miss Mattie Hays came up from Columbus, Ga., to spend Christmas with Mrs. K. B. Burns. Mr. Owsley had seen that his bank would declare 3 per cent dividend before leaving.

REV. J. M. BRUCE, representing the Baptist Argus, the new and excellent paper recently started at Louisville, was here this week. He is meeting with great success in this work and if he proves half as successful in that line as his brother, J. L. Bruce, did, he will make a big mark for himself.

In writing up the retiring officials, the Mt. Sterling Sentinel-Democrat says of the gentleman, who married Mrs. Lizzie McAllister: H. R. Bright has justly earned a great reputation as circuit court clerk and now takes up the profession of an attorney. He has married and has a happy home and is a happy man. May success crown his efforts.

MR. S. W. MENFEE went to London yesterday after a deaf mute.

MR. J. A. WRIGHT and son Charlie spent a few days in Louisville.

MISS LUCY ALLEN, of Millersburg, is visiting the Misses Woods.

MISS SALLIE POPE, of Springfield, is the guest of Mrs. J. S. Hundley.

MRS. DR. HUGH REID went to Lexington yesterday to see her brother.

MR. JAMES R. NUNNELLEY left yesterday for Hopkinsville with his wife.

MISS MINNIE MUNDAY is visiting Miss Annie Bronaugh at Crab Orchard.

WALTER MARTIN and Dave Rambo are visiting relatives in Anderson county.

ELDER GEO. KLINGMAN, of Louisville, is visiting William Severance and wife.

H. VINCENT MOORE arrived yesterday to lecture at the Methodist church last night.

REV. R. B. MAHONY has rented Mrs. Fannie Dunn's residence on Danville street for next year.

G. M. COOPER, of Louisville, has been very ill of pneumonia at his sister's, Mrs. W. B. Penny.

DR. E. J. BROWN was called to Brodhead yesterday a few hours after he had returned from Livingston.

NEW YEARS.—Miss Isabella Bailey, assisted by Miss Jennie Warren, will receive New Year's from 6 to 9 p. m.

O. W. SHUGARS, of Lancaster, was here yesterday returning from Birmingham, Ala., where he spent the holidays.

MRS. GEO. P. TAUBMAN and son, Ned Healey, of Newport, arrived Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Fannie Green.

MR. T. M. PENNINGTON and grandson, Philip Goggin Kemp, of Middleboro, came down yesterday to visit friends.

MR. BARNEY LAY and Miss Bettie Woodall, of Boyle, came up Christmas eve and were married at Rev. J. T. Sharrard's by him.

MESDAMES E. G. DICK, Gus Hoffman and children were here yesterday. The ladies denied the report that a man was there to buy the C. O. Springs property to convert it into a school.

MRS. W. H. SHANKS, of Stanford, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baldwin. She subscribed for the Climax, which will in the not distant future have news about the marriage of another Richmond beauty to a Stanford gallant.—Richmond Climax.

HOME NEWS.

NOW ready to repair your watch: Danks.

WE have a full stock of Falls Branch Coal now. J. H. Baughman & Co.

DON'T forget to have your picture taken at Earp's Gallery when you come to town.

T. C. BALL sold the Kendall property he bought for \$400 to Henry D. Arnold for \$425.

THERE will be a partial eclipse of the moon Jan. 7, beginning at 5:48 P. M. and ending at 7:23.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Splendid Upright piano. Good condition. M. J. Harris, Crab Orchard, Ky.

BANK STOCK.—Harry C. Baughman sold to Dr. H. P. Bosley, of Danville, three shares of Farmers Bank & Trust Co. stock at \$105.

GOV. BRADLEY refused to pardon Frank Ellis, of Junction City, for man slaughter and James Porter, of Madison, for a like offense.

THE Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, will meet at Mrs. Mattie Withers' at 2 o'clock to-day, Friday. A full attendance is requested.

SPLENDID weather has prevailed during the holidays, sufficiently cold for any purpose. It will be cloudy Friday; fair Saturday and colder to-night.

I AM very thankful to those who worked so hard to save my property from burning and trust that I may some day reciprocate in some way. M. D. Elmore.

LOUIS SHEELMAN, who started to run an oil wagon, has given up the business to accept a good job with Fred's Dix River Mill, which suits him better, besides pays him more.

SPECTACLES, gold frame, lost while attending the funeral of Mr. B. Cloyd. They were in a case inclosed in a pocket case. Return and get reward. Mrs. Bettie A. Melvin, McKinney.

LEBANON is trying to get the dispatcher's office moved there and has sent a committee with a big petition to General Manager J. G. Metcalfe asking him to locate it in that town. Stanford should do something to retain it and an effort should be made to that end at once.

CHRISTMAS was not entirely a barren ideality, for did not the Hon. Geo. M. Davidson shed the light of his beautiful countenance upon us? Potomac River water, both in its external and internal application, seem to have agreed with him and he looked as fine as frog's hair.

WE will close out remnant of our holiday stock at cost. Danks.

AM back from the city, ready for business. Hamilton, the jeweler.

THE K. C. passenger train leaving here at 4:30 P. M., will be discontinued after Saturday.

START in the new year by paying your debts and especially the one you owe at this office.

DAVE GUEST, a Crab Orchard coon, was lodged in jail in default of \$400 bail for shooting Bill Tucker, another East End coon.

STANFORD Lodge, No. 60, F. & A. M. elected J. N. Saunders W. M.; H. J. Darst, S. W.; G. L. Penny, J. W. & T.; Dr. W. B. Penny, Sec.; and T. W. Hamilton, S. & T. The deacons have not yet been appointed.

W. H. HIGGINS is preparing to build a warehouse 80x80 feet in the rear of his store-room and is tearing down the old buildings on the lot. The house will be metal front and top and be a big improvement to Depot street.

BISHOP.—Frances Allman, the 23-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Bishop, of the West End, died Tuesday of stomach trouble and was buried in the Hustonville cemetery at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon after services at the grave. It was a bright, pretty child and the parents are naturally almost heart-broken over the loss of their little darling.

WHEN Bro. Barnes was corresponding for this paper, several years ago, he said with pardonable egotism, after a considerable lapse, that he was "really hungry for a Barnes letter himself." Whether the public joins in the feeling or not we have felt hungry ourselves for an INTERIOR JOURNAL all the week and say right now we couldn't be hired to run an hebdomadal publication.

THE statement in the INTERIOR JOURNAL that the fiscal court had sent word to Col. Jack Bosley that it would negotiate with him for his pike only after the soldiers were withdrawn is pronounced by Judge Prewitt as absolutely false. Judge Prewitt also denies the oft-repeated statement that he had been applied to for additional guards and refused them just before the soldiers were sent to Boyle.—Advocate.

WE had it direct from Col. Bosley himself, who is an honorable man and a truthful one. However, we are glad to know that Judge Prewitt does not wish to appear as small as the statement made him.

THE present fiscal court met for its last time Wednesday. A communication from N. W. Harris & Co., the Chicago brokers, who bought the bonds conditionally was read, in which they declined to take the bonds now, but asked time till a decision in a similar case in Madison county could be made.

An order was entered to have the bonds printed and turned over to those turnpike companies that had accepted them as payment of their roads. Old Major Hays was allowed \$2 a month for three months. He already gets a pension of \$8 a month.

THEY had a monkey and parrot time at the colored Baptist church meeting Saturday. It seems that some 10 or a dozen members are charged with having permitted themselves to be locked in barns on election day by democrats and kept under guard till after the polls closed. The hotter heads wanted to turn them out without direct evidence, judge or jury, but Rev. Geo. W. Bolling advised moderation and insisted that committees be appointed to investigate and report at the next meeting, when there will be a hot time in the old church that night.

KEPT THE SECRET WELL.—Mr. D. L. Young, of Pittsburg, son of J. S. Young, of Highland, surprised his mother and father by coming home Christmas with a wife. They had not heard of his marriage although it occurred at Nashville, Sept. 28th, last. He was visiting the exposition and so was his sweetheart, Miss Nora E. Nelson, of East Bernstadt. He proposed that they unite their destinies then and there and the proposition was accepted. Afterwards they returned home, each going their separate ways and keeping their secret till Christmas.

Mr. Young is a very worthy and excellent young man and his bride is said to be both lovely and lovable. And here's hoping they may be very happy.

SOME nights ago two fellows wearing State guard overcoats and representing themselves as belonging to the detachment guarding the Danville toll-gate, came here and after getting their hides full of whisky behaved in a very ungentlemanly manner. Luckily for them Marshal Newland's eagle eye was not on them or they would have served a term in jail. On hearing of the scandalous behavior, Chas. T. Corn, captain commanding at the toll-gate wrote us as follows: I have been informed that two men wearing overcoats of the Kentucky State Guards, were guilty of bad conduct in your city. If such was the case I desire to say in justice to the members under my command, that these men were in no way whatever connected with this company or any company of this regiment.

IF you owe the firm of Farris & Hardin you must settle it at once. Do this immediately and save yourself both trouble and expense.

LEBANON.—George Farris, manager of the Green River Telephone office here, tells us that the line is now connected through to Lebanon and that we can soon converse with people in Louisville.

THE o. k. can not remember as quiet a Christmas week here as that about to close. Only a few bombs were exploded, and they on the back streets, Christmas eve, and since then a grave yard calm has pervaded everything, broken only by the Hop of Wednesday night. It is a great deal better so than otherwise.

SHOT.—While celebrating Christmas in a McKinney barroom, John Lee and Josh Brown fell out and Brown shot Lee, the ball entering the left side near the nipple and ranging around to the back. Dr. J. B. Robards tells us that he operated on Lee Wednesday and located the ball, but did not take it out. He says he never saw a man with such nerve. Refusing to take chloroform he lay and let him probe in the wound without hardly flinching. He is doing well and the doctor says he will recover. Brown gave himself up and is in jail.

ALL the new county officers go in next Monday and all have given bond except County Judge J. P. Bailey, who has to make his before his successor as circuit clerk. J. F. Holdam's bondsmen for his faithful performance of his duties of circuit clerk is Hon. M. F. North; G. B. Cooper, county clerk, has Dr. Ed Alcorn and T. J. Robinson; Garland Singleton, county superintendent, has J. N. Menefee, Nathan Singleton and T. D. Newland; Jailer G. W. DeBord has Ots P. Newland, D. W. Vandever and J. W. Alcorn; Granville Baker, for assessor, is backed by W. L. McCarty; Coroner Wm. Landgraf furnishes J. N. Menefee and John Turnbull; Sheriff S. M. Owens, as before stated, gave a Baltimore guaranty company as his security.

HOP.—Though hastily gotten up, the hop given by the young gentlemen at Walton's Opera House Wednesday night, was the nicest and most enjoyable in a long time. All of the young ladies were elegantly attired in evening dress and they presented a scene of unusual beauty. The gentlemen were on their best behavior and everything passed in a most lovely manner. The music was by the Danville orchestra and was very good. Following are the names of the ladies who participated: Misses Lizzie May Crabb, Eminence; Haidie Duff, Glasgow; Neppie Scruggs, Greenville, Miss.; Lucy Lee Allen, Millersburg; Annie Evans Bright, Hedgeville; Annie Bronaugh Engleman, West Lincoln; Susan and Bessie Woods, Anna and Lucile Menefee, Mary Bruce, Pearl Burnside, Eva Lambers, Mary Elkin, Isabella Bailey and Mrs. W. A. Tribble, Stanford. The gentlemen were: Messrs. B. S. Ritchie, Louisville; Louis Crabb, Eminence; Dr. J. B. Robards and Wade Kennedy, McKinney; Mike Chrisman, Danville; Frank Marksbury, Will Walker, Ben Herndon, Harry Robinson, Lancaster; G. A. McRoberts, Rowan Sauley, Jim Menefee, R. M. Newland, James Sauley, Jack Root, Thomas H. Shanks, Geo. Dunn, Bob Bruce, George Ellis, Will and Sam Embury, Stanford.

FIRE.—The only excitement on Christmas day was caused by the alarm of fire, when it was soon discovered that the old Hughes house, occupied by B. K. Wearen, was ablaze. It seemed to have caught from the top, most of which was consumed, leaving the sides and lower story standing. The fire company was slow in responding and did very bad work after it got there, owing probably to too much egg-nog. Most of Mr. Wearen's furniture was removed and badly scarred and broken. He had \$450 insurance on it and \$150 on his new piano. M. D. Elmore, who owned the house, had \$1,000 insurance on it in the North America. It is the oldest building in town and the oldest inhabitant remembers it as the Jack Hughes property. The owner was the father of Lt. John S. Hughes, and the house remained in the family till bought by E. R. Chenault, who afterwards sold it to its present owner. It had the appearance of an ancient farm house and was rather an eye sore to those who like to see the town improve in appearance. Mr. Elmore will likely repair it and let it go, as he says he can get as much rent for it like it was as he could if he had a match to Dr. Owsley's across the way.

The adjuster for the Queen Insurance Co., Mr. B. V. Williams, was here Wednesday and settled with Mr. B. K. Wearen on his loss of Saturday, by paying him \$242.25. He also saw Mr. M. D. Elmore, who had a policy in the Insurance Co. of North America and as special adjuster for that company offered him within \$50 of the \$474.19, which Mr. A. C. Sine said after examination, would replace the roof and other portions of the house that were damaged. Mr. Jesse D. Wearen represents both of the above companies.

Mr. Wearen and family have not rented yet, but have been living with their son, George B., and brother, Geo. D. Wearen, since the fire.

To My Friends & Patrons.

It is with a deep sense of gratitude to all who have befriended me as patron or otherwise that I come before the public in this brief acknowledgment for so much of their valued consideration. The past year has been an unusually prosperous one to me and while I profoundly thank God—the giver of good and perfect gifts—for his manifold blessings upon our great Nation, I do sincerely thank him for the good people among whom I live for the degree of success I have attained in business. I have tried to buy goods low and sell them right. The army of customers who have made my store their buying place are best witnesses to the latter, while proprietors of large manufacturing establishments can attest to the former. I shall continue this policy until I find something better and will be found at the same stand next year where I will be pleased to serve you honorably six days in the week until the new year like the old shall have written its pages in the great volume noting our country's prosperity. I go to the cities this week for goods and will be able to show an immense line next Monday, that will not only have been bought low but shall be sold at prices that will be interesting to prospective purchasers. Again thanking you for so liberal a share of your patronage and good will, and wishing you a happy and prosperous new year, I am your humble servant.

Jacob Hummelstein, McKinney.

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